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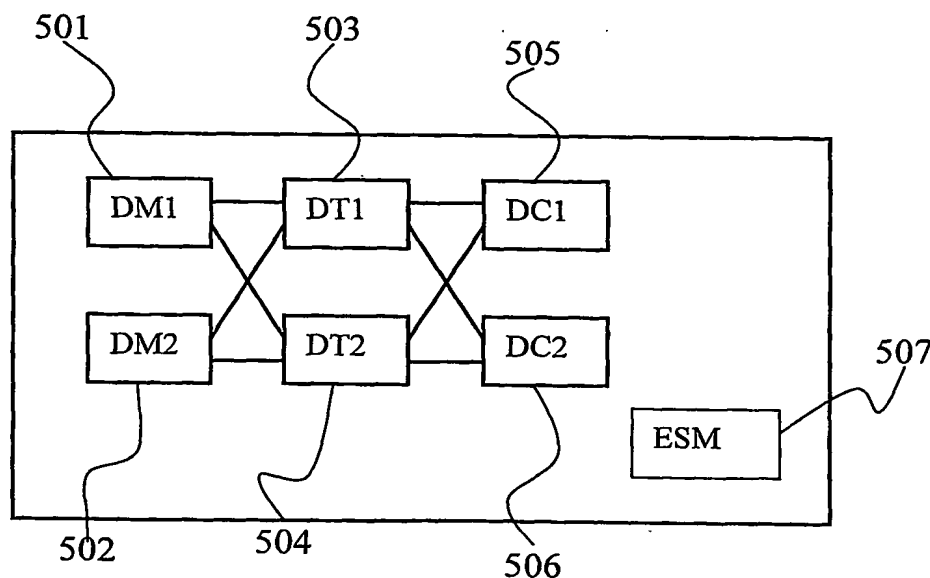
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(54) Title: A TRANSPONDER READER CAPABLE OF READING TRANSPONDERS HAVING DIFFERENT SIGNALLING PROTOCOLS



(57) Abstract: The present invention provides an apparatus and method that can in a simple and cost-effective way read transponders from different systems implementing different communication protocols. The transponder reader comprises an antenna means for sending a first analogue signal to one of said transponders and receiving a second analogue signal from said transponder, said transponder reader further comprises means for analysing, e.g. demodulating, detecting, decode said signal received by said antenna means according to at least two different protocols.



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